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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR )  
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 16, 2004  
Applicants respectfully submit the following responses to the  
above captioned patent application, as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of  
claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.